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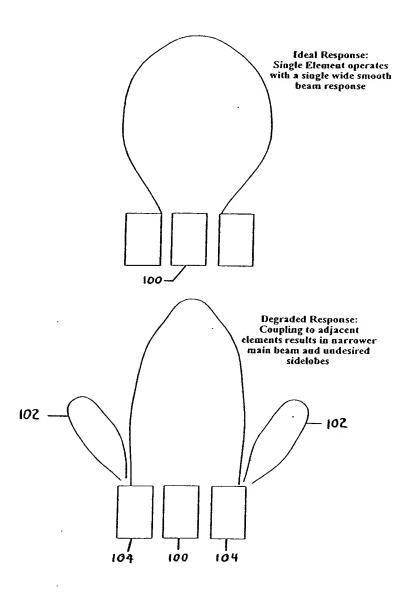
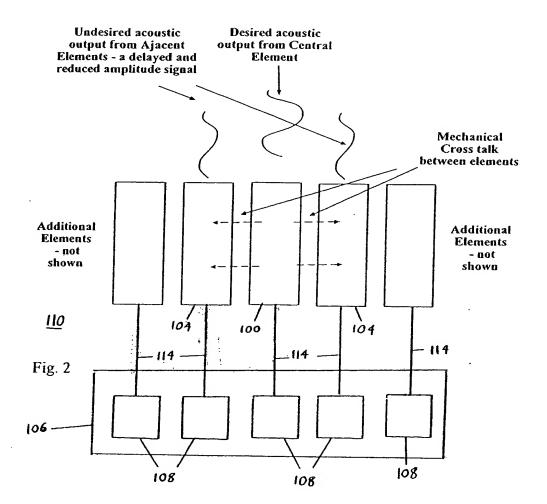


Fig. 1.

Waves propagating into tissue



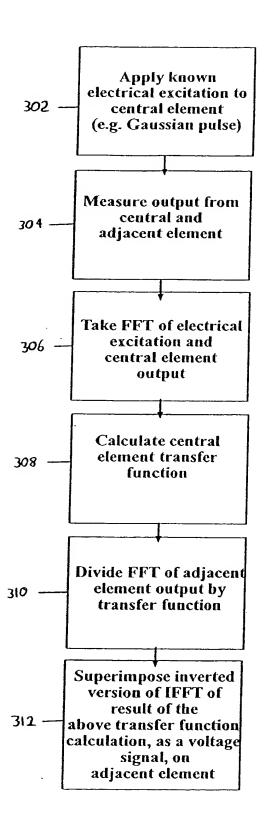


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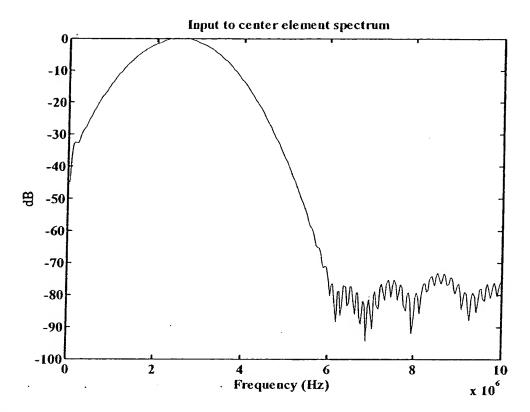


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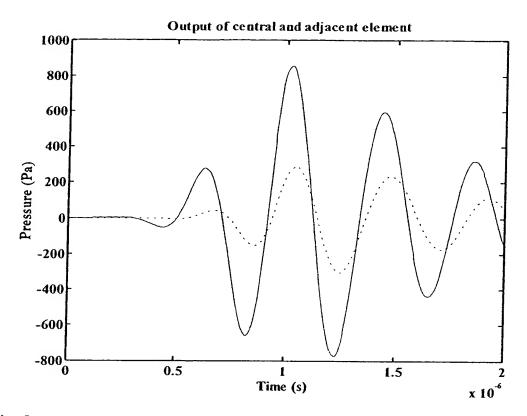


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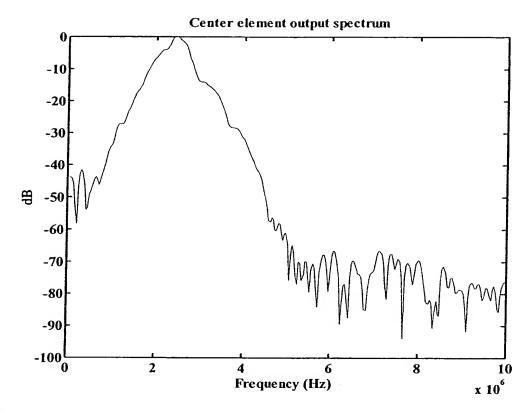


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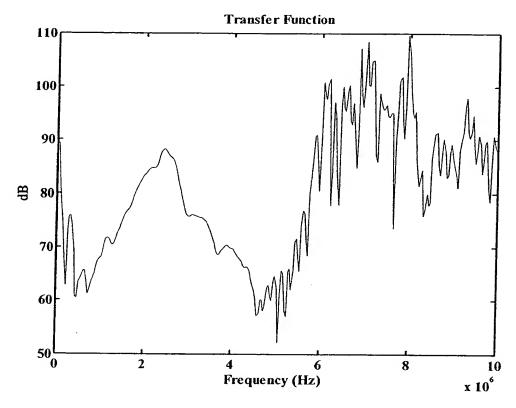


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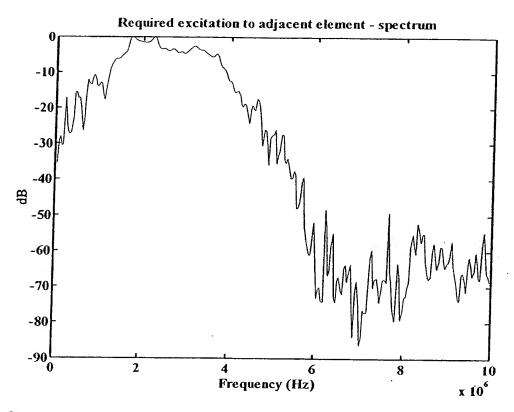


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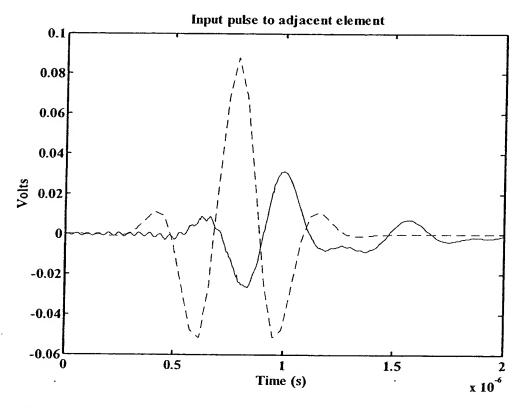


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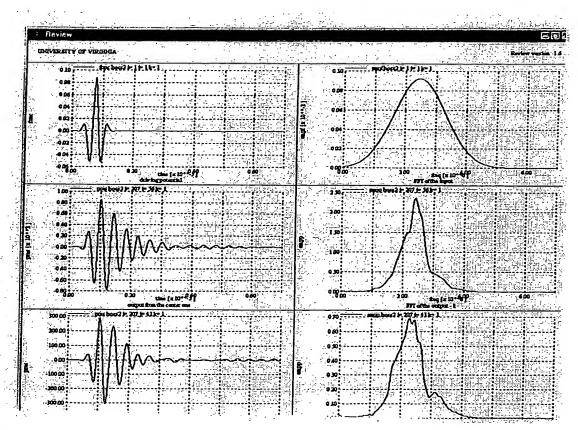


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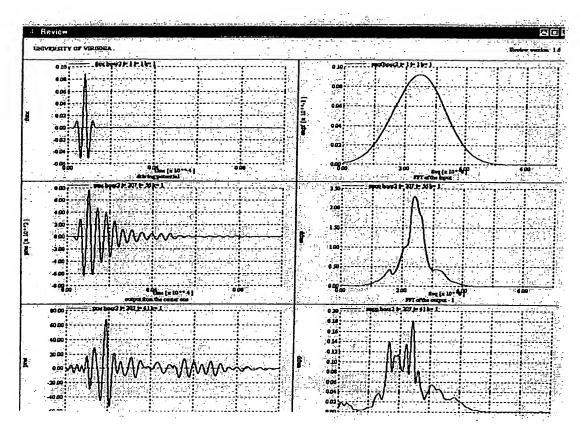


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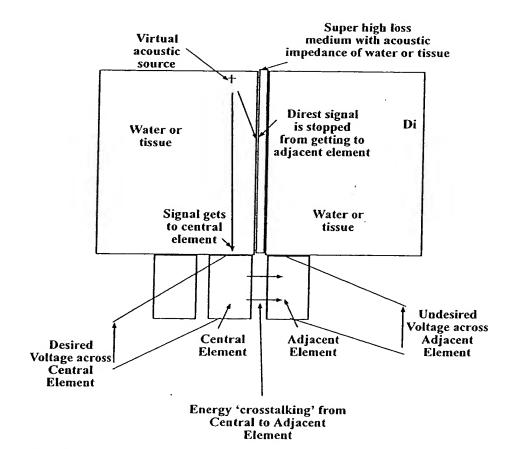


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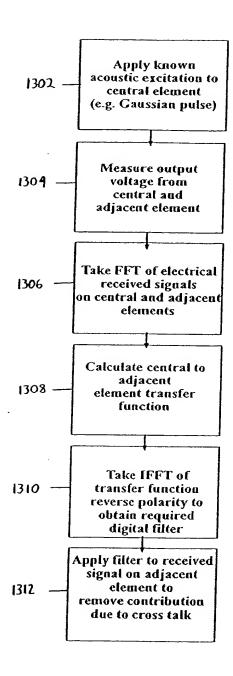


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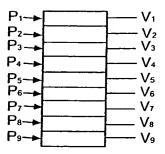
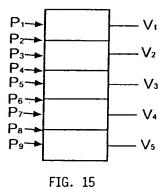
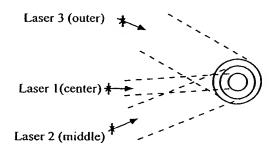


FIG. 14





Thermal deposition resulting from 3 beams



Region in center receives superposition contribution from all three laser spots (outer regions receive contributions from successively fewer spots)

Fig. 16

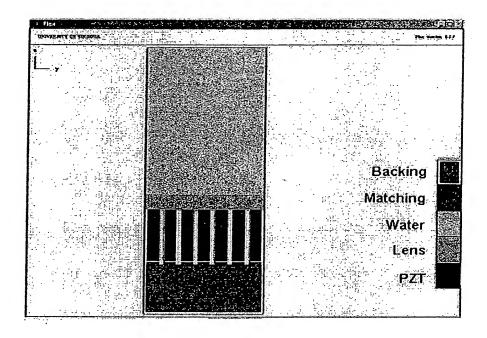


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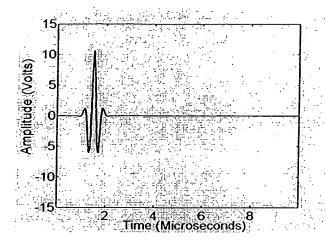


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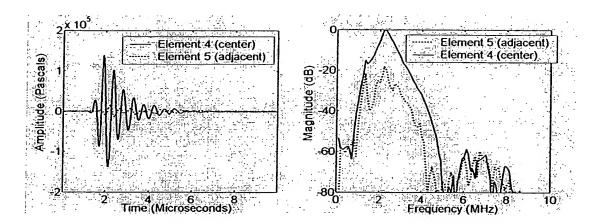


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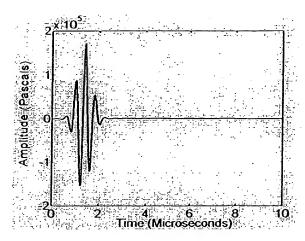


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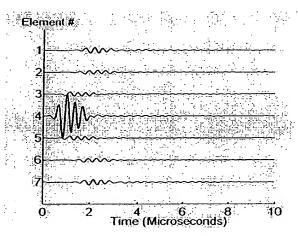


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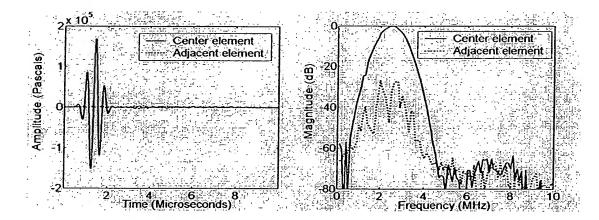


Fig. 22